
IN SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

JANUARY 29, 1845.

Read twice, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

AN ACT

Giving the courts of Wisconsin and Iowa jurisdiction over offences committed in the Indian territory, within their boundaries.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That*
3 the courts of the Territories of Iowa and Wisconsin, and of
4 the States, when admitted into the Union as such, shall have
5 and take jurisdiction of all cases, civil or criminal, arising in
6 that portion of the Territories now inhabited by the Indians,
7 as was given to the courts in the Territory of Arkansas and
8 the State of Missouri, over other Indian tribes, by the act ap-
9 proved the thirtieth of June, one thousand eight hundred
10 and thirty-four, entitled "An act to regulate trade and inter-
11 course with the Indian tribes, and to preserve peace on the
12 frontiers."

Passed the House of Representatives, January 28, 1845.

Attest:

B. B. FRENCH, *Clerk.*